DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7·36	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·48	14·44	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Manure is being collected.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ragi is reported as being harvested in parts of Hoskote, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. In some parts of Magadi Taluk, paddy also is being harvested. Milling of sugar-cane is in progress in some parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. In some parts of Dodballapur Taluk lands are being ploughed and manure is being carted to fields in Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks. Sugar-cane is being planted in some parts of Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, mulberry and potatoes are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Bangalore Taluk—sugar-cane 6 to 8 annas; Hoskote Taluk—ragi 4 to 10 annas; Dodballapur Taluk—sugar-cane 8 to 16 annas; Kankanhalli Taluk—sugar-cane 12 annas; Anekal Taluk—sugar-cane 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Bangalore, Hoskote, Devanhalli, and Magadi Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. The Deputy Amildar of Closepet Sub-Taluk reports that water scarcity for cattle is being felt in some villages.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in thrashing ragi in Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; milling sugar-cane in Chintamani Taluk, planting sugar-cane in Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and ploughing dry fields in all the taluks of the district.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and paddy under kapile wells in Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Bowringpet, Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks, sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas; Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Malur Taluks, ragi 4 to 8 annas; Goribidnur Taluk, Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, jola 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy under kapile wells in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and sugar-cane in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains continue to be high. Labour is available to cooly classes at present.

11. There have been a few cases of plague in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur Taluks and small-pox in Chintamani Taluk. Otherwise, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture is reported to be scarce only in Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; elsewhere it is good. Fodder is available at present in all the taluks of the district.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur and Maddagiri Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; and jola in parts of Maddagiri and Sira Taluks.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Tumkur Taluk—Bengal gram, sugar-cane 4 annas; Maddagiri Taluk—sugar-cane, Bengal gram and jola; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—paddy and Bengal gram; Sira Taluk—cotton, Bengal gram 2 to 8 annas; Tiptur Taluk—Bengal gram; Kunigal Taluk—sugar-cane Koratagere Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane 12 annas, jola 8 annas and Bengal gram 10 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, jola, Bengal gram, cotton, castor, wheat, sugar-cane and green gram in parts of the district are reported to be generally in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair, except in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks. Food stuffs are generally available.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for foot and mouth disease in a few village of Koratagere Sub-Taluk and Sira Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are generally available at present.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Nanjangud and Mandya Taluks.

Crops sown.—Green and black grams and tadagani in parts of Seringapatam Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, cotton, mulberry and jola are reported to be in a fair condition. Jola in parts of Chamrajnagar Taluk and sugar-cane in parts of T.-Narsipur Taluk are said to be in need of rain.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Gundlupet Taluk, ragi 2 to 8 annas; Krishnarajpete Taluk, sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks and small-pox in parts of Nanjangud and Mandya Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for Dodda roga in parts of the Mysore Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Temporary wells in tank beds are reported to have been sunk in places where water difficulty is felt in the Krishnarajpete Taluk.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kar paddy and sugar-cane in the Hassan Taluk; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane is planted in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of season are generally good. Water-supply in the wells of the Arsikere town is reported to be diminishing.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the town of Belur and Halebid village and small-pox in the Kirvale village, Manjarabad Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Foot and Mouth disease in Bandekere, Chikkur and Harthanahalli villages of Arsikere Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sugar-cane is being planted in the Shimoga, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Lands are being ploughed in the Tirthahalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sagar and Nagar and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Sagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Yennigar jola in the Channagiri Taluk and cotton and castor in the Honnali Taluk are being harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled throughout the district.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and small-pox in a few villages of the Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Mudgere Taluks.

Crops sown.— Sugar-cane is being planted in the Kadur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy and sugar-cane; Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane; Koppa Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane and areca; Mudgere Taluk—kode paddy, sugar-cane and chillies. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Kadur Taluk—wheat, ragi 8 to 12 annas; Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane 12 annas; Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—paddy 8 annas; Sringeri—areca, sugar-cane 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Chikmagalur Taluk and plague in Kuntanmadu village of Tarikere Taluk, the public health is generally good.

12. Metreroga among cattle in the Aramane Talagur village of the Mudgere Taluk is reported to be on the decrease. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, jola and navane are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Holalkere Taluk—sugar-cane, cotton, ragi, jola, horse gram, Bengal gram, navane, haraka, sajje, togari and white jola 8 annas; Harihar Sub-Taluk—cotton 4 to 8 annas; Challakere Taluk—cotton 4 annas; chillies 4 to 8 annas, wheat 4 to 8 annas; Molakalmuru Taluk—wheat, navane 8 annas; Hosdurga Taluk—bili jola, Bengal gram; Jagalur Taluk—castor, cotton, jola (white) and Bengal gram 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of "guinea worm" in a few village in the Kasaba hobli of the Jagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.
Dated Bangalore, 31st March 1915.

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